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NIGHT RIDER CONFESSES. The State practically completed its case in Union City, Tenu., yesterday, against the eight alleged night riders on trial for the murder of Capt. Rankin, when it drew from Frank Febringer, a member of the band, a detailed statement of the Rankin affair and a score or more of other out ages. It also called to the stand Mrs Emma Thurman Johnson, one of the two women sid to have been whipped by the band

and had her tell her story.

The startling testimony of Frank Fehringer, who confessed, accusing th men on trial of being actual particita t-in the murder of Csp'. Rankin, given with an exactness of detail, amszed the people who througed the courtroom. Then, as Mrs. Johnson's name wa-called, a murmur of a tisfaction arose. Sae walked rapidly to the stand, and re-moved her veil reluctantly on the jungs's instructions that she might be heard by

Mrs. Johnson had married Joe John-Mrs. Johnson had married Joe Johnson, a man 30 years older than she, and lived with him four years, when a child was born. Last August she sued him for divorce, charging cruelly and asking maintenance, Early in September the riders visited her father's home and left word that she must withdraw the suit. She failed to do so, and on a second visit her father was whipped. On both occasions when she was whip ped she was at her sister's home and

one occasion in bed. Februager said members of the gang abscribed to the following oaths:

"You do solemnly swar, in the pres-nce of Almighty G d and these witnesses, hat you desire to become a Night Rice; nat you will not write, talk or tell to Night Riders; that, if you do talk, write or tell to any person any of the secrets of the order, we are permitted to do with you sawe see fit. You know death, hell, and destruction will be your portion, and that your body will not be buried in a gravevard. Do you willingly and friely submit to all this, so help you God?"

MRS. ANNIS ON THE STAND Mrs. Helene E. Annis, widow of William E. Annis the victim in the Bayside N. Y. trsgedy, took the stand yeserdsy afternoon in the old town hall at Flushing, where T. Jenkins Haina is on total charged with an equal share in the killing of William E. Annis. The testimony of the widow was without doubt he strongest feature of the procecution so far, and yesterday was the most dis-couraging day the prisoner has seen since the trial began a week ags. With the pronounc as of the name, "Helene E Annis," by the distric a torney, the first a prili of the tral was furnished.

The testimony of Mrs. Annis was entirely unmoved by the cross-questioning of Lawyer John E. McLatyre. It con-50 cts, at Druggists or by mail. Liquid talued several points damaging to the de-fendant. The widow swore that man endant. The widow swore that when ne ran down the runway to the float as er husband's boat came in and Capt. Peter Hains began firing, Thornton ot to move, or "she would get the same. She said that as she turned at the sight f the revolver, she felt the wespon a ner back. Bafore the shoooting, she said, while her husband's boat was or ts way to the float, and the Hainess tood on the deck above, talking with various club members, Thornton Hains beckoned his brother, the captain, and led the way down to the float.

Lawyer McIntyre, upon whom the brunt of the defense falls, treated Mrs. Annis with great consideration and gen-tioness, but nevertheless he tried to or ak down the points in her testimony and in none of the three points, as it Shoes. ione of the rest of the story, was he suc-

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who are tackers of the Civic Lesgue, and include Mayor George W. Gathrie So great a silr was caused by the arat that the band of directors of several anks were called into extra sessions ast night to cover up the banks who are to be charged with bribing the finance committee for the purpose of having their banks selected as depositories. This is one of the charges which will create the greatest stir because the tank in each case will un-

doubtedly be dragged into the trials. Alleged acts in connection with the establishment of depositories for the funds of the city are enumerated in the comp'aints egainet the councilmen, and \$1,000 it is said several persons occupying official positions in Pittsburg banks will soon be arrested.

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